GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

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ANTI EROSION WORKS IN GANGA BASIN STATES
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the details of amount allocated and released for anti-erosion work in the country especially in Ganga basin States;

(b) whether the Chairman of the Ganga Flood Control Commission and others have constituted a committee in consultation with the concerned State Governments to complete the anti-erosion schemes within stipulated time frame;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether the amount released by the Government has been utilized by the State Governments; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES(SHRI JAI PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV)

(a), (d) and (e)The details of amount allocated, released and utilized for anti erosion works in Ganga Basin States in respect of "Critical Anti Erosion Works in Ganga Basin States" to be implemented during 2004-2005 to 2006-2007 in Xth Plan are as below

(Rs. In crore)

Sl. No.	State	Fund allocated during Xth Plan (2004-07)	Fund released during 2004-2005	Fund utilized
1.	Uttar Pradesh	28.45	12.58	14.39
2.	Uttaranchal	4.00	1.00	1.35
3.	Himachal Pradesh	2.32	1.00	Nil
4.	Bihar	40.00	19.42	12.22
5.	Jharkhand	2.30	Nil	Nil
6.	West Bengal	51.00	15.00	4.58

(b) & (c) Yes Sir. A Committee under Chairman, Ganga Flood Control Commission (GFCC) with members from States was constituted to identify schemes that could be included in above ongoing Centrally Sponsored Scheme during Xth Plan. The individual schemes are submitted to GFCC for appraisal following which it recommends release of Central fund. GFCC also monitors the implementation of the schemes.